

Cowan, D. C. Thain, S. O. Beard, W. A. Sossoman, W. D. Bazzell; constable, R. C. Barber, and at said regular election a mayor, five commissioners and a constable shall be elected according to the provisions of said chapter one hundred and eleven of the Revised Code.

SEC. 4. This act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

Ratified the 15th day of March, A. D. 1875.

CHAPTER XXI.

AN ACT FOR THE RELIEF OF THE SURETIES OF JOHN A. REID,
LATE SHERIFF OF HALIFAX COUNTY.

May collect taxes.

SECTION 1. *The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact*, That the sureties of John A. Reid, late sheriff of Halifax county, may collect the arrears of taxes due in said county for the years one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three and one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four: *Provided, nevertheless*, That no such tax shall be collected from the personal representative, heirs at laws, devisees at law, devisees or legatees of a deceased person, nor from a person who makes oath that he or she has paid the same and that the receipt is lost.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its ratification.

Ratified the 17th day of March, A. D. 1875.